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RECREATION ROOM AND METHOD FOR CONTROLLING THE ATMOSPHERE IN THE ROOM

Title of Invention

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Mail Stop PCT Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 ATTENTION: DO/US

COMPLETION OF FILING REQUIREMENTS FOR INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION ENTERING NATIONAL STAGE IN U.S. DESIGNATED OFFICE (DO/US) UNDER 35 U.S.C. § 371

This replies to the Notice of Missing Requirements under 35 U.S.C. § 371 and 37 C.F.R. § 1.494 (FORM PCT/DO/EO/905).

A copy of FORM PCT/DO/EO/905 accompanies this response.

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DECLARATION OR OATH

I. The declaration or oath that was filed was determined to be defective. A new original oath or declaration is attached.

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

II. A preliminary amendment including a substitute specification is enclosed. It is requested that this substitute specification be used as the copy for examination purposes in the PTO.

TRANSMITTAL OF ENGLISH TRANSLATION OF NON-ENGLISH LANGUAGE PAPERS

III. Submitted herewith is an English translation of the non-English language international application papers as originally filed.

DRAWINGS

IV. Replacement formal drawings, including Figures 1 and 3-6, for this application are enclosed. Number of Sheets: 5

FEES

V.

1. Fees for claims

Each independent claim in excess of 3	\$ 100.00
Each claim in excess of 20	\$ 0.00
Multiple dependent claim(s)	\$ 0.00

3. Surcharge fees

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Surcharge for filing the oath or declaration later than thirty months from the priority date pursuant to $\S 1.495(c)$ and $\S 1.492(h)$: \$ 65.00

4. For filing an English translation of an international application later than thirty

(1971) and § 1.492(i):

\$ 130.00

Total fees \$ 295.00

SMALL ENTITY STATUS

VI. An assertion that this filing is by a small entity was made by paying the basic national fee as a small entity.

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EXTENSION OF TIME

VII. The proceedings herein are for a patent application. Accordingly, the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) apply.

> Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition and fee for extension of time.

TOTAL FEE DUE

VIII. The total fee due is:

Completion fee(s)

\$ 295.00

TOTAL FEE DUE

\$ 295.00

PAYMENT OF FEES

IX.

Attached is a check in the amount of \$295.00.

Charge any additional fees required by this paper or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 15-0450.

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NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Indication of Small Entity Status
- Copy of the International Application filed on 05/18/2005
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 05/18/2005
- Oath or Declaration filed on 05/18/2005
- Small Entity Statement filed on 05/18/2005
- Request for Immediate Examination filed on 05/18/2005
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 05/18/2005
- Priority Documents filed on 05/18/2005

The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Translation of the application into English. Note a processing fee will be required if submitted later than 30 months from the priority date.
- Processing fee for providing the translation of the application and/or the Annexes later than 30 months from the priority date (37 CFR 1.492(i)).
- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date. The current oath or declaration does not comply with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b) in that it:
 - is not executed in accordance with either 37 CFR 1.66 or 37 CFR 1.68.
- To avoid abandonment, a surcharge (for late submission of filing fee, search fee, examination fee or oath

or declaration) as set forth in 37 CFR 1.492(h) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fees required for this application is \$195 for a Small Entity:

- \$65 Surcharge.
- \$130 for English translation surcharge required.

ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

A copy of this notice MUST be returned with the response.

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